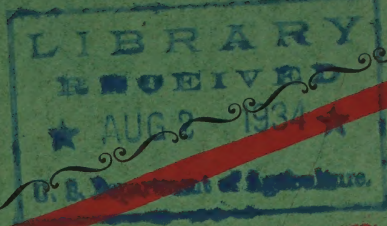


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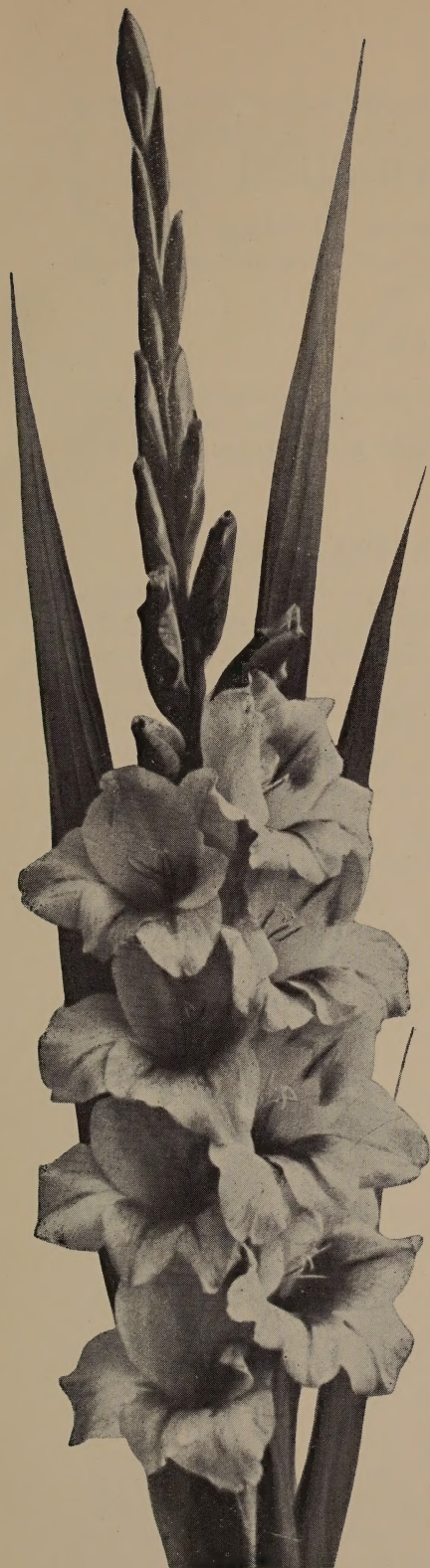


"Le-Roy" Gardens

GLADIOLI CATALOGUE

SEASON 1934-35

S. V. REEVE, Proprietor,
Gregory Street, BALLARAT,
VICTORIA, AUSTRALIA.



"LE-ROY" GARDENS



Gregory Street,
Ballarat, Victoria,
Australia.

In placing our 1934 Catalogue before our many clients, we take the opportunity of thanking them for their patronage extended to us during the past year. It will be our aim to maintain our high standard of quality, which in the past has characterised our business, and by bestowing our best care and attention to our Customers requirements, giving equal attention to large and small orders alike, to be still favoured with their confidence and to have the pleasure of adding many more new customers to our already existing large numbers.

Esteeming your commands,

Yours very truly,

S. V. REEVE.

St. Albans Raised in Ballarat

General Information

Please Read Carefully before Ordering.

ORDER EARLY.

Early Orders are solicited to prevent disappointment in case the varieties selected should be sold out. The stock of most varieties is still very limited, and all Orders are accepted subject to sufficient crop and prior sale.

ADVICE TO U.S.A. AND CANADIAN BUYERS.

To import our Gladiolus into the United States of America or Canada, special permit is required. Please send with your Order Mailing Tags for U.S.A. and the White Labels for Canada. Shipment is made from April to September of each year. All Orders reaching us after the end of September, will be forwarded the following April.

Please make all Bank Drafts, etc., payable to S. V. REEVE, BALLARAT, Victoria, Australia.

Interstate and New Zealand Orders are ready for shipment from April to the end of November, and we prefer to ship Bulbs per Parcel Post.

TERMS.

We would ask our clients to include Cash with Orders (except in the case of regular customers). We pay postage on all Orders.

Every precaution is taken to ensure correct naming of all Corms. sent out by us. We are anxious to satisfy all our Customers, and trust should any mistake occur, we will be given the opportunity of rectifying it.

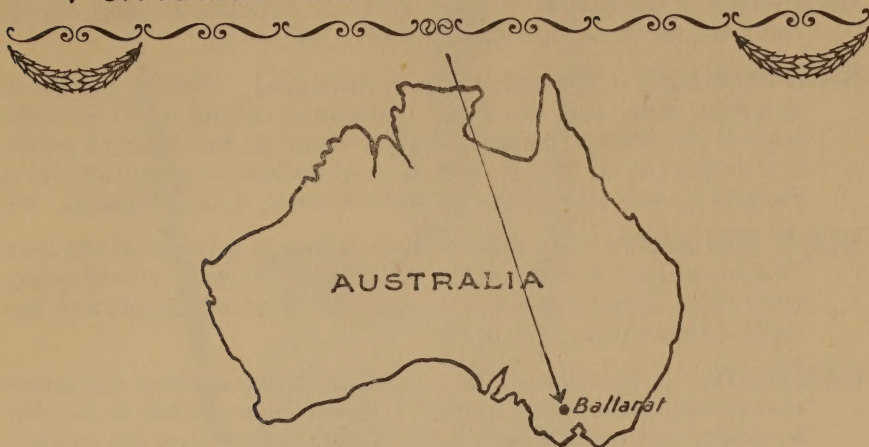
SUBSTITUTION.

In no case will any variety be substituted for the variety ordered. However, as many of the varieties listed are in small supply, I would appreciate the privilege of substituting larger or smaller Bulbs of the same variety, when necessary.

CORMLETS.

Cormlets can be supplied of any of the varieties listed at the price of 1 large Corm. per dozen (namely — Sunnyside 1/6 large size, Cormlets 1/6 per dozen). As Cormlets are sometimes hard to germinate, we will not hold ourselves responsible for failures.

Varieties Raised in Australia



The letter "B" indicates varieties raised in Ballarat. The letter "s" attached to some varieties indicates that small Corms. are available at lower prices. To all other varieties where the letter "s" does not appear, large Corms. only are supplied.

A. H. WOODFULL.—The color is a very pale mauve with a violet blotch, which is edged with crimson. Cream line running through centre petals. Fine form and placement; about ten open flowers at once of good size. 1/-; s. 6d.

ALEC.—Giant growth, colour sky blue with darker blue marbling, maroon blotch. A beautifully decorative variety. First class Certificate, Ballarat. 1/-; s. 6d.

ALPHEUS.—Very refined type. A delightful shade of salmon pink with a scarlet blotch on lower petals. 6d.

AMETHYST.—Large flowers, good form. Color a distinct shade of (B) lilac rose, deep rose bordering. and a white centre line on each petal. Highly recommended. 9d.

AUTUMN GLORY.—An intriguing mixture of autumn tints. Perhaps the description is best left at that, for it is almost impossible to describe the colors that, intermingled, produce this effect. The flowers are of good size, and ten or more open together in perfect formation on a good stiff stem. Fine for exhibition and decorative purposes. 5/-; s. 2/6

BETTY RONALDSON.—Sturdy growth, color pale lemon, splashed (B) and over-laid with bright pink. Highly decorative. Six to eight flowers open at once. Award of Merit, (Decorative) Ballarat. 2/6; s. 1/3.

Varieties Raised in Australia—Continued.

BARBARA PHILLIPS.—Large spike of mixture of gray, fawn, slate and sepia, beautifully blended. 1/6; s. 9d.

BILL SOWDEN.—(Raised in South Australia). Having blooms of immense size, and wonderful substance, colour vivid crimson scarlet, sometimes flecked a darker shade on the edges of petals. The brilliancy of colour, and fine exhibition form, will create a demand for this Gladioli when better known. F.C.C. Ballarat. 9d.

BLUE DELIGHT.—The color of this variety is a deeper shade than "Veilchenblau", a very darker violet blue. Spike is well-faced, with many flowers opened at once. A good strong grower, but spike rather short. 1/-; s. 6d.

CAMELOT.—A clear deep salmon pink, with the edges of the petals occasionally flaked with orange. The crimson blotch is powdered cream on the edges, and large, well-shaped flowers are correctly placed on a strong spike. An excellent variety for exhibition purposes. 1/6

CANBERRA.—Pure yellow, beautifully waved. Tall spike of exhibition type. 1/-

COPPERFIELD.—An outstanding exhibition variety. A blend of deep coppery bronze and slate with a large rich velvety cherry coloured blotch, beautifully edged with bright copper. The edges of the ruffled petals are heavily flecked with mulberry. The spike is extra long with ten to twelve immense flowers of splendid form open. Price on application.

DAVID.—A very strong growing variety, carrying from eight to ten (B) well-formed flowers. Warm cherry red, cream tongue, edged deep mauve, dark feathering in throat. Well-faced spike of exhibition type. 3/6; s. 2/-.

DOROTHY CLEMENCE.—A very vigorous grower with eight to (B) ten flowers opened at once. Spike tall and well faced. Colour really wine red, overlaid with purple, light purple predominates as the flower ages. Raised in Ballarat, and received Award of Merit as Exhibition variety, 1930. 5/-; s. 2/6.

ESME DESAILLY.—Exhibition type, large well-rounded flowers, salmon pink in shade. Lower petals cream, with carmine lines and shading. 1/-

EDITH ROBSON.—Salmon pink, with crimson blotch on yellow ground. A first class exhibition variety, and a winner of many awards. 1/-; s. 6d.

EVELYN STINTON.—New. Blush pink, heavily overlaid with (B) chocolate; fine long spike of good form; individual flowers are of medium size and good texture, will carry up to sixteen open, fresh flowers; a good exhibition Gladiolus. Award of Merit, Ballarat Test Garden, 1932. 3/6; s. 2/-



Noel L. Reeve
First Class Certificate, Ballarat



Bill Sowden - First Class Certificate, Ballarat.

Varieties Raised in Australia—Continued.

GERTRUDE SMITH.—An addition to the pink shades, and a decidedly good one. The colour is a deep shell pink with a silvery throat. Small ruby blotch on lower petals. Very good formation with extra long spike. Usually having ten to twelve flowers opened at once. 5/-; s. 2/6.

HYACINTH.—Beautiful shell pink white lemon lip and mauve tongue. Very large flowers. A very fine novelty of recent introduction. 1/-; s. 6d.

HUNTSMAN.—Colour bright scarlet, with blotch on lower petals, (B) feathered with deep red. Long straight spikes, showing ten blooms. Fine exhibition variety. Award of Merit, Ballarat. 1/6; s. 9d.

IRIS PHILLIPS.—A very beautiful lavender, slightly flaked on outer edges with a darker shade. Faintly pencilled purple in the throat. A fine exhibition spike, showing ten to fourteen flowers at once. Award of Merit, Ballarat, 1930. 2/-; s. 1/-

IVERNIA.—A truly beautiful Gladioli. Color a beautiful pale pink shading, flecked with rose pink on the outer portion of the petals. Fine exhibition variety. 1/-

LUCIFER.—Color bright orange, with an amaranth crimson shaded blotch. A very brilliant combination. Ten large flowers are well placed on an exceptionally tall spike. Very vigorous. 1/-; s. 6d.

LADY FANNY RANSOM.—Colour deep rich coral, flecked on the (B) outer edges of petals with dark amethyst. Rich cherry blotch in throat. Petals slightly crinkled at edges. Seven to eight flowers open at once on strong spike. A very desirable variety. 7/6; s. 4/-

LAIDLEY.—Light pink ground color, beautifully flushed and flaked with deeper pink shade, cream band on lower petals. Crimson spot in throat. Beautiful exhibition variety. 6d.

LEANDER.—Colour vivid orange salmon, contrasting beautifully with a large bright magenta blotch on lower petals. Beautifully placed flowers on a tall exhibition spike. Award of Merit, Ballarat. 1/-; s. 6d.

LIGHTHOUSE.—Beautiful orange flame, slightly marked steel blue on the outer edge of petals. Contrasting beautifully with a cream throat. Ten to twelve open flowers on a perfect spike. A very beautiful variety. Exhibition type. 1/6; s. 9d.

LISBETH.—The pale flesh pink petals are flecked with salmon, and the orange buff throat is lined with crimson. About ten large well-shaped flowers open at once on the well-formed spike. A distinct and most attractive variety for all purposes. 2/6; s. 1/6

Varieties Raised in Australia—Continued.

MAVIS HAYES.—The color is a delightful pale biscuit, beautifully (B) overlaid with rose mauve; lower petals are blotched lemon which deepens towards the centre. A subdued peach feathering completes a very beautiful color scheme. This variety is very vigorous and tall, flowers are nicely arranged and well placed, showing eight to ten open at once. Good exhibition variety. 2/6; s. 1/6

Mrs. JIM KERR.—A variety producing tall spikes of a vivid pink, (B) throat being feathered with violet maroon on a cream ground. The well-faced spike is capable of producing ten to twelve flowers of exhibition type. 1/6; s. 9d.

Mrs. CLENDINNEN.—Outer part of the flower cream, flushed shell (B) pink, large wine red blotch. Exhibition type showing eight to ten well-formed flowers. Award of Merit, Ballarat. 1/- s. 6d.

Mrs. GEO WHITE.—Beautiful long spike of dark rose pink shade (B) with wine red throat markings. Eight to ten blooms open at one time. Exhibition type. 1/-

Mrs. S. A. ERREY.—A very fine spike with magnificent wide open flowers. Colour brilliant orange, with orange crimson blotch, splendid texture. Tall spike. Recommended. 9d.

Mrs. T. RATTRAY.—This variety is unequalled in length of spike. (B) Colour a fine bright rose, with feathering in throat. Well-faced spike showing up to nineteen flowers. 9d.

MARMORA.—A wonderful variety which creates a sensation everywhere. Colour a beautiful lavender, overlaid with lavender gray. A large petunia coloured blotch sets off the spike to perfection. Exhibition type 6d.

MELISSA.—A beautiful flower with a buff yellow ground, tinted and flecked pink on the edges of the petals. A pure yellow centre gives a warm and pleasing effect to the spike. Exhibition type. F.C.C. Ballarat. 6d.

NOEL L. REEVE.—The color of this variety is somewhat change- (B) able. Coming in summer—a beautiful cerise pink, slightly flaked. The inner portion of the flower being cream pencilled violet. In the autumn the cream throat predominates, leaving the outer part of the flower a beautiful pale pink. Received F.C.C. Ballarat. Exhibition type, and will give from twelve to fifteen flowers, beautifully set on tall spike. See illustration. 1/-; s. 6d.

NEWINGTON.—Cream, lightly flaked outer edges with rose pink, (B) lower petals, suffused lemon yellow, feathered with a darker rose pink. Tall strong spike showing up to ten open flowers at once. Exhibition type. Award of Merit, Ballarat. 1/-; s. 6d.

OUR SELECTION.—Orange scarlet, generally flaked with a deeper shade, cerise blotch. Exceptionally long spike and many flowers open. 6d.

Varieties Raised in Australia—Continued.

PRINCE CHARMING.—A beautiful apricot salmon. Large yellow (B) blotch, flowers nicely arranged on tall spike, showing from eight to ten flowers. Highly recommended. 9d.

PURPLE VICTORY.—Large wide flowers of a beautiful purple maroon color, lighter towards centre. Good spike. Recommended. 9d.

RITA PHILLIPS.—Color apricot salmon, deep orange flame feathering on lower petals, edged with white. A very dainty color combination. Spike is well faced, showing up to ten open blooms. Exhibition type. 2/-; s. 1/6

RUBY MAY.—This variety will be sought after mostly for its color. (B) Producing spikes of exceptional length and vigour, well faced, with flowers the outer part of which are deep carmine. A large cochineal blotch bordered with white, makes this an outstanding combination for any decorative or basket work. 2/-; s. 1/-

RED LORY.—A splendid new variety, with a perfectly arranged spike. Colour vivid orange crimson, shading to bright orange on the edges of petals. Lower petals purplish carmine edged orange 1/-; s. 6d.

RED GIANT.—A new variety of great merit. Flowers are large, (B) and spike is well faced with about eight blooms open at once. Colour, deep, rich carmine. Award of merit (Mammoth Class), Ballarat, 1933. Price on application.

SUNNYSIDE.—A champion of champions, showing fifteen large (B) well-formed flowers on a tall spike. The outer part of the flower is a beautiful cerise pink, slightly flaked a darker shade, the centre being pure white, which predominates as the flower expands. This variety is perfect in both colour and spike. F.C.C. Ballarat as an exhibition variety. 1/6; s. 9d.

SUN TAN.—This variety is a beautiful subject for decorative work, (B) and looks wonderful displayed in a basket. Color, a light, coppery brown, deepening towards the outer edges of petals, with a feathering of light carmine in the throat. About ten medium sized flowers open at once. Spike is well faced, but is rather short, after the type of "Blue Delight", 3/6; s. 2/-

SUSSEX.—Large salmon pink flowers have a chrome yellow centre, which completes a delightfully rich color combination. As about ten open flowers are well placed on the spike, this variety will be much in demand for all purposes. 2/6; s. 1/6

SILVER SHEEN.—A magnificent spike of large flowers of a glowing (B) salmon pink. A white tongue on lower petals, feathered wine red. The whole flower is overlaid with a silvery sheen, ten open flowers on a strong spike, make Silversheen a magnificent specimen. F.C.C. Ballarat. Exhibition type. 1/-; s. 6d.

Varieties Raised in Australia—Continued.

ST. ALBANS.—Ivory-white, heavily overlaid with rose pink; centre (B) blotch of brilliant wine red, which extends up the centre of the petals. Very vigorous habit. Spikes are very consistent, showing up to ten open blooms, A fine exhibition variety. 2/- s. 1/-

SILVER PLANE.—This variety throws a typical exhibition spike. (B) Flowers are large and well placed, showing from eight to ten open blooms at once. Colour a beautiful shade of salmon pink, which lightens towards the centre to almost shell pink. A bright cherry tongue on the lower petals faintly bordered white perfects a delightful combination. 7/6; s. 4/-

TITANIC.—Raspberry red, overlaid and flaked at edges of petals (B) orange flame. Magenta feathering on white tongue. Tall spike with from eight to ten flowers opened at once. Very vigorous habit, and can be used for both exhibition and decorative purposes. 3/6; s. 2/-

VALINDA (A).—Clear shell pink deeper flecked edges, slightly ruffled. 7/6; s. 4/-

WARATAH.—The outer portion of the flower is a brilliant orange scarlet, and the centre is crimson touched with cream. Ten or more open flowers of fine substance are perfectly placed on erect spikes. Excellent for exhibitors. 2/-; s. 1/-



Collections.

Australian Exhibition Collection.

A. H. Woodfull, Amethyst, Barbara Phillips, Bill Sowden, Alec, Blue Delight, Esme Desailly, Hyacinth, Huntsman, Lucifer, Lighthouse, Mrs. Clendinnen, Mrs. Jim Kerr, Newington, Noel L. Reeve, Red Lory, Sunnyside, Silversheen, Prince Charming, Marmora.

One large Corm. each of the above varieties, 20 Corms in all

15/- Collection.

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Special Overseas Collection.

Aida, Bleeding Heart, Catherine Coleman, Coryphee, Betty Nuthall, Coronado, Frau Gertrude Pfitzer, Jubilee, Mother Machree, Jonk Van Tets, F. C. Christ, Elizabeth, Jessie, Lochnagar, Queen Mary, Durban, Guy Mannering, Comrade, Apricot, Carrick.

One large Corm. each of the above varieties, 20 Corms in all

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Mair's Scottish Varieties.

A collection containing some of the finest Varieties raised by George Mair & Sons, Scotland, all having good colors, tall spikes and excellent Exhibition Form.

APRICOT.—Pure apricot of very fine quality. Good spike. One of the best. 1/-

BERTIE SNOW.—Soft lilac, cream blotch, large flowers. Nice long spike. 6d.

BETTY.—Bright orange rose, white centre, very vigorous. Tall strong spike, good. 1/-

BERTY MAIR.—Soft lilac, a lighter shade than Bertie Snow, the edges being beautifully ruffled. 1/-

CALEDONIA.—Extra long spike of shrimp pink with darker lines. 1/6; s. 9d.

CECIL.—A beautiful salmon scarlet. Large flowers on a tall strong spike. 1/-

COMRADE.—Salmon streaked with slate. A very fine smoky variety, flowers nicely placed. Good. 6d.

CARRICK.—Many flowers open on a tall strong spike. Colour slaty brown, lightly flaked. 6d.

CARMINEA.—Carmine crimson shade, deep throat with white blotch; one of Mair's latest and best. 1/6; s. 9d.

DUCHESS OF YORK.—Beautiful ashy rose with white centre. Very beautiful combination. 3d.

DIGNITY.—Soft rose. very long spike, with many flowers open. A very fine Gladioli. 6d.

DURBAN.—Crimson suffused with violet and lighter centre; good spike, with many open. 2/-; s. 1/-

DAVID PRIOR.—A beautiful orange scarlet, with slight markings on a yellow throat. Extra large flowers on tall strong spike. Splendid texture. Good exhibition variety. 2/-; s. 1/-

ELIZABETH.—Fleshy cream suffused with rose. Grand spike, extra large flowers. Good, 1/-

FAUST.—Salmon orange streaked with slate; long spike with well-faced flowers. This variety, when well grown, will open up to twelve flowers. 1/-; s. 6d.

GLADYS.—Orange rose striped vermillion, with white blotch, spike well faced with large flowers. Recommended. 2/-; s. 1/-

Mair's Scottish Varieties—Continued.

GERTRUDE.—Slaty orange rose, set off with a cream blotch, large flowers, tall spike. 6d.

GUY MANNERING.—A lovely soft purple, white lines and blotch. Flowers large on good spike. 6d.

GERTRUDE GREY.—A most beautiful shade of satiny grey, quite a new colour in this section, and one which will be well liked. Flowers are of a good size, with many open on a tall strong spike 2/6; s. 1/6

IRENE.—Salmon rose, with large, white blotch, very fine colour; flowers well placed. One of the world's best Gladioli. 1/6; s. 9d.

JESSIE.—A vivid rose, tips of petals flaked darker. White blotch. A beautiful spike of large flowers. Really one of the best. 6d.

JOHN HILL.—Bright orange salmon with darker blotch, flaked cream. Tall strong spike with many flowers open. Well faced. Good exhibition variety, 1/6; s. 9d.

LOCHNAGAR.—Dark slaty rose with white blotch. Large flowers on an extra tall spike, with many open. Highly recommended. 1/-; s. 6d.

MARIE.—A soft light rose with yellow blotch. Many flowers open on a nice tall spike. 1/6; s. 9d.

Mrs. GALBRAITH.—Beautiful spike with large open flowers of an attractive salmon shade, flaked darker. 6d.

Mrs. G. T. MALTHOUSE.—Satiny lilac, streaked and flaked with a combination of white and red. Grand tall spike with many flowers open. 1/-

MAHOGANY.—A new variety of Mair's, colour a fine shade of mahogany red with white lines. A beautiful variety and one which will become very popular. Well-faced spike with many flowers open. 3/6; s. 2/-

MAY MORRISON.—Carmine crimson shaded to centre with clear yellow, petals slightly flecked darker shade around edges. 6d.

QUEEN MARY.—Greenish white, slightly flaked pink. A beautiful variety, tall spike. Recommended. 9d.

SENATOR.—Dark salmon striped scarlet, large flowers, with many open on a tall strong spike. Very beautiful. 3/6; s. 2/-

SUNSET.—Very vigorous, tall-growing variety. Colour a beautiful orange apricot, with many flowers open at the one time. 6d.

SULTAN.—Crimson flaked purple and slate, yellow blotch. Extra large flowers on tall spike. 9d.

Novelties from New Zealand.

We have much pleasure in introducing some very fine Novelties from New Zealand. We feel sure that these varieties will give every satisfaction and will be much sought after when better known.

D. A. HAY (New Zealand)—Colour, a pleasing shade of pink with a cream throat; many flowers open at once, and a winner of many awards; 5/-

Miss NEW ZEALAND (Julyan).—F.C.C. Nelson, F.C.C. Marlborough, F.C.C. Ballarat, A.M. Canterbury Society and Canterbury Horticultural Society, Champion Marlborough 1932-33, Wanganui 1934, Fendalton 1934. Colour salmon apricot suffused rose, blotch of ripe peach colour. Price on application.

Mrs. E. A. RIDES.—A variety of great merit producing a fine spike of extra large, well-open flowers. The colour is blue lavender with reddish violet centre blotch deep in the throat. Eight or more florets open at once. Spikes come a little crooked at times otherwise very fine for exhibition purposes. 2/6. Cormlets 2/6 dozen.

MILFORD.—Color, a most lovely and delicate shade of blue, slightly darker towards the edges, but without any blotch or dark markings in throat. This variety is unquestionably an improvement on any of the famous Pfitzer blues. The spike is unusually tall and straight and requires no staking, while the placement is good, always producing nine large florets open at one time. 10/-

HELEN DUNCAN (Juylan).—Shell pink. splashed geranium pink, throat canary, pencilled plum. 10/-

KINGSFORD SMITH.—Colour of this fine variety is light yellow ground, reddish purple blotch on throat: tall grower, with long spike, ten to twelve flowers open. 2/6

OMAKA.—A fiery orange scarlet, which does not fade in the sun; beautiful throat blotch of deeper colouring. Very strong grower, with many open. 5/-

TAINUI.—Ground colour greenish yellow, overlaid orange scarlet, with conspicuous blotch of dark red. Tall, strong grower; up to ten open. 7/6

TAIAROA.—Salmon pink, flaked slate, purple blotch. 1st prize, 3 spikes, N.Z.-raised, Christchurch, 1933. 5/-

TOA.—Rosy salmon, dark blotch; larger and better placed than Pfitzer's Triumph; eight open. 10/-



Mavis Hayes
Raised in Ballarat



Silversheen - First Class Certificate, Ballarat.

General Collection.

AFLAME.—Begonia rose, shading to bright orange flame near the edge. Large spreading flower, six or more open at a time. A fine variety for decorative purposes. 1/-

AIDA.—This beautiful violet blue variety is a recent European introduction, and a decided acquisition. The color is deep violet blue with crimson shading on the lower petals. The flowers are of good size, and the growth, unlike many of this colour, is strong and healthy. 1/-

ANGEL'S DREAM.—Beautiful rich pink with many flowers opened. Spikes come a little crooked at times, otherwise very fine. 1/-.

AVE MARIA.—One of the finest of the blue type. Large flowering light blue with very small purple blotches. The excellent facing and well expanded blooms are well placed and a good substance. This variety makes a beautiful spike with seven or eight blooms opened at once. 1/6; s. 9d.

BAGDAD.—Colour, smoky rose with lighter throat, lined ruby. For vigorous growth this is easily one of the best of the smoky varieties. Small only. 5/-

BLEEDING HEART.—White tinted light pink, with large red blotch. Somewhat similar in color to Mrs. Pendleton, but colors more contrasty. Tall spike with eight to ten large perfectly placed blooms open. Strong grower. Very fine. 1/6; s. 9d.

BETTY NUTHALL.—Light coral, with pale orange throat feathered carmine, tall straight spike, eight to ten open. A magnificent new variety. 9d.

CHARLEMANGE.—Good exhibition spike, large flowers, deep rose ground, flaked salmon red and scarlet, lower petals dotted crimson on cream ground. 9d.

CATHERINE COLEMAN.—Clear salmon rose with darker pencillings. Nice long spike, large flowers. 1/-

CORYPHEE.—Purest shell pink, well formed, nicely rounded flowers. Eight to ten opened on tall spike. A magnificent variety. 1/6; s. 9d.

CORONADO.—A very heavily ruffled white, with purple throat. Very large flowers. Exhibition type. Highly recommended. 1/6; s. 9d.

General Collection—Continued

COMMANDER KOEHL.—Beautiful deep, rich self-coloured red. The large flowers form on an exceptionally tall spike. Very heavy substance. From five to seven flowers open at once; one of the richest and most showy Glads. grown. Highly recommended. Stock limited. 2/-; s. 1/-

Dr. F. E. BENNETT.—Vivid scarlet with creamy white markings in the centre of the flower. Spikes tall and well faced. Good. 1/-

Dr. MOODY.—Light lavender with very fine pencilling of a darker shade. Early. Long spike of blooms with many open. Strong grower. Fine either for exhibition or as commercial. 1/6 s. 9d.

Dr. NELSON SHOOK.—Deep tyrian rose. Very strong grower. Large strong spikes with six to eight blooms open. The best in its colour and a very fine variety. 1/-

EMILE AUBURN.—Most unique Gladioli. Color a striking blend of salmon, orange and slate, with a beautiful cherry coloured blotch in centre. Large flowers on good strong spike. 6d.

FRAU GERTRUDE PFITZER.—Color light china blue with violet centre. This variety has many well-formed flowers opened at the same time, on a beautiful tall spike. Highly recommended. 1/6; s. 9d.

FREDERICK CHRIST.—This is one of the most beautiful pink varieties grown. Soft La France pink, blending to yellow in throat, showing from eight to ten large blooms open at once. A fine exhibition variety. 1/6; s; 9d.

GAY HUSSAR.—Salmon orange with yellow throat, overlaid scarlet. Good sized flowers, well placed on the spike. A very beautiful variety. Brilliant color. 9d.

HINEMOA.—Immense wide-winged flowers. Colour a deep pink, flaked with chocolate. A large clear yellow blotch. Most outstanding. 1/-

HEAVENLY BLUE.—A pleasing shade of mauve blue, nice large flowers, good tall spike. One of the best. 1/-; s. 6d,

JUBILEE.—Large lavender pink. Growth exceptionally vigorous, with tall strong spike, about eight flowers open at once. 2/ s. 1/-

JOHN TOLAND.—Orange flame; crimson orange blotches on lower petals. Fine tall spike, very vigorous and showy. Highly recommended. 9d.

JONKHEER VAN TETS.—Immense pure white shade, without blotches or throat markings, broad, well-formed petals; strong grower. Eight large flowers open at once. 1/6; s. 9d.

General Collection—Continued

KING ARTHUR (New).—Immense ruffled lavender, of a distinctive shape and colour. When well grown this is a beautiful variety. Small only. 7/6

LIBELLE.—A nice blue novelty of heliotrope shade, an improvement on the famous gladiolus, Mrs. Van Konynenburg. The blooms are well placed and of good substance. Outstanding variety, with its fine spike of flowers: 10/-; s. 5/-

MAMMOTH WHITE.—Immense pure white, six inches or more across; wonderful exhibition variety. 2/6; s. 1/6

Miss DES MOINES.—Lilac shading to listerine, purple towards edges of petals. Throat light yellow. Tall spikes with flowers well placed. One of the very best varieties for exhibition. 2/6; s. 1/6.

MOTHER MACHREE.—One of the most popular Glads on the market, and one of the very best smokies. Beautiful smoky lavender grey, blended with salmon and yellow in a delightful combination. Eight or more large blooms opened on a tall spike. This variety is largely sought after, and will prove an acquisition to any growers collection. 1/6; s. 9d.

MOROCCO.—Very dark, remarkable shade, almost black; straight spike, large flowers, no markings. This dark gladiolus attracts general attention and should be in every collection. 1/6; s. 9d.

Mrs. VAN KONYNENBURG.—A glorious light blue or so called blue. Flowers large on tall spike. Very good variety. 1/-

OBELISK.—A high quality Gladioli of good exhibition type. Color a beautiful creamy yellow, with a deeper yellow centre. Tall spike, good form. Recommended. 1/-

ODALISQUE.—Colour creamy white, with a scarlet blotch. Good spike. Very showy. 1/-

PICARDY (New).—Prevailing color, soft shrimp pink, without flakings. Lip petals a light flesh pink, shading to shrimp pink at edges, and with inconspicuous feathering of diffused begonia rose 5/-; s. 2/6

PURPLE GLORY.—One of the best of the ruffled section. Colour a very fine purple, darkening towards the centre. Very good. 9d.

PFITZER'S TRIUMPH.—The wide open flowers of immense size and splendid substance are a distinct shade of salmon red, shaded darker on the lower petals. This variety will be extremely popular on account of its distinct color and great size. 1/-

General Collection—Continued.

RED GLORY.—The colour is bright crimson with darker flakings. The large flowers are nicely ruffled. Spike is well faced showing from six to eight flowers open at once. Sport from Purple Glory Recommended. 1/-

ROI ALBERT.—Color pale coppery salmon and crushed strawberry spotted with ruby and gold : broad flowers, and a beautiful coloring. 1/6; s. 9d.

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